

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Laurent COEN et al.

Serial No.: 09/501,787

Filed: February 11, 2000

For: HYBRID TETANUS TOXOID PROTEINS  
THAT MIGRATE RETROGRADELY AND  
TRANSYNAPTICALLY INTO THE CNS



Group Art Unit: 1646

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

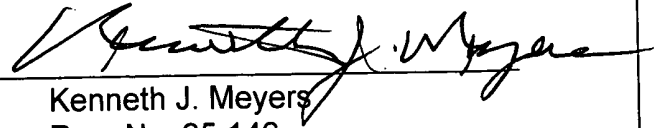
**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGE**

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, it is respectfully requested that Fig. 1A in the above-captioned application be amended by insertion of sequence identifiers SEQ ID NO:15 and SEQ ID NO:16 in the upper left-hand corner of the figure. The changes are indicated in red on the attached copy of the originally filed drawing.

Upon approval of the proposed changes, Applicants respectfully request that the submission of revised drawings be deferred until after a notice of allowance has issued.

Respectfully submitted,  
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